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Mr. Ronald W. Daniels
Coordinator of Mined Land Development
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
Department of Natural Resources
1588 West North Temple
Salt Lake City, Utah 84116

Dear Mr. Daniels:

This is to advise you that Phelps Dodge Corporation intends to reopen the Tasso Mine located in section 26, T.28S., R.16W. in the Pine Grove District, Beaver County, Utah. The purpose of our work is for the inspection, study, sampling and evaluation of the mine. Our work will involve an area of less than 2 acres and removal of less than 500 tons of rock for sampling purposes.

Yours truly,

Dr. Jeffrey T. Abbott
Senior Geologist

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